MR. SPEAKER.—I think the rules will be published in the Gazette and copies supplied to every Hon'ble Member of this House.

SRI K. HANUMANTHAIYA (Leader of the House).—Apparently he is not reading the Gazette! (*Laughter*).

SRI J. MOHAMED IMAM.—Sometimes it is very interesting; sometimes it is insipid.

MYSORE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1954.

Presentation of Joint Select Committee Report.

SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries on behalf of Sri A. G. Ramachandra Rao—Member Joint Select Committee).—Sir, I beg to present the report of the Joint Select Committee on the Mysore Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

Address of His Highness the Rajpramukh on Saturday, the 19th February 1955.

MEMBERS OF THE MYSORE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AND THE MYSORE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,

IT gives me great pleasure to exercise the privilege of addressing you at the commencement of the first session of the Legislature in the year 1955. I extend a warm welcome to you all and, in particular, to the new members of the Legislative Council and to those members of the Legislative Assembly who have been returned in the bye-elections in the course of the past year.

Before proceeding to state the important problems that will be placed before you for consideration, I desire to place on record my deep sense of grief on the demise of Shri H. Siddaiya who was holding the high office of the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly. In him the State has lost a great patriot and an able statesman.